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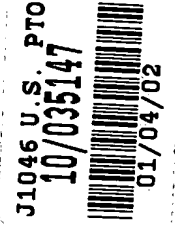
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**CLAIM FOR PRIORITY**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Pursuant to 35 USC 119 and 37 CFR §1.55, the Applicants hereby claim the right of priority based on the following foreign application(s) filed in Japan:

Application No. 11-118047, filed on April 26, 1999

A Certified copy of this Japanese application was filed on June 6, 2000, in application Serial No. 09/557,827, the ancestor application of the present continuation application.

Respectfully submitted,

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